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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir/Madam:

The period for response to the Office action of March 30, 3005 (Paper No. 9) and the Advisory action of July 21, 2005 (Paper No. 15) in the above-identified application expired on June 30, 2005. Accordingly, applicants respectfully request and petition that the response date be extended for one month, up to and including, July 30, 2005. The required fee of \$120.00 under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1) is enclosed.

If there are any further fees required by this communication which are not covered by an enclosed check, please charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. 33732.

Respectfully submitted,

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